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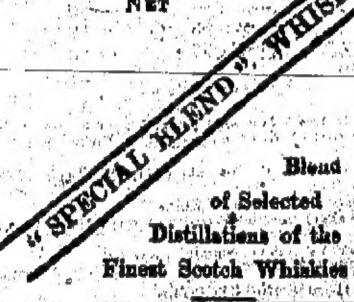
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Hongkong, 27th August, 1902.

WE can hardly regard as new the intelligence telegraphed from London in our issue of to-day, that the French authorities are considering the project to establish a naval · base at Kwanchau-wan. This project is mentioned in the book which we reviewed yesterday, The French in Tonkin and South China, and the creation of a naval hase on the spot was one of the schemes of the restless M. Doumes, who predicted just before he left Indo-China that Kwanchauwan would become one of France's great naval establishments. Furthermore, recently published report of the Director of Public Works for Indo-China announces that a naval base is to be set up there. Perhaps the news intended to be conveyed to Glory, for Fame; Chas. P. Mansell, to Oct. I an officer of the Staff will command the by the London telegram is that the authorities in Paris have at the present time under deliberation the speedy carrying into effect of such a plan. Fort Bayard, mentioned in the despatch, is the civil settlement of Kwanchau-wan at the mouth of the river and Nivel is a short distance off nearer the entrance of the bay. There can be no doubt that the site is well chosen. The Director of Public Works in the report referred to above points outwe quote from Mr. Cunningham's bookthat the Bay of Kwanchau-wan seems naturally destined to be the point d'appui of attached as tender to the battleship Glory, the French fleet in the Ear East, as there flagship of Sir Cyprian A. G. Bridge, Commanis ample accommodation in it for a large der-in-Chieft The Fame will be commissioned squadron, and for more than ten miles there is an average depth of twenty metres. In conjunction with Admiral Potties he take two docks, coal-wharves, an arsena G. C. Hardy as tender to the battleship Goliath. possible in the Far East.

and fortifications, and dredging opera tions; the latter are very necessary, there is a sand-bar to be got rid of. estimate of the expenses of such a scheme exceeded twenty-eight millions of francs. The cost as given in our London correspondent's despatch is £1,250,000, which is a little more. The idea is an ambitious one and if carried out thoroughly will give France an admirable base for her navy-in South China, well situated and naturally strong, and is within a few hours of the prosperous coalfields of Hongay where a second-class naval station is to be established. It will also without doubt largely decide the question of the future prosperity of Kwanchau-wan, particularly if, in accordance with the advice of M. Doumer, it is. maintained as an open port and not brought under the protective system which hinders known the growth of Indo-Chinese trade. If the confidence of the natives can be restored, the situation of the French port gives it a by the Russian Ministry of Finance, as it is ingredients, and holds the unique position great opportunity of capturing the transit found impossible to guard the frontier of several trade at present starting from and coming to Pakhoi. With the addition of a railway (which is not altogether undreamt of by some ambitious French Colonials), revolution might be effected in the trade of South China. We do not even hazard a guess whether such changes are probable. But their possibility is something which Hongkong cannot afford to lose sight of, in the comfortable confidence of her present prosperity. In the political aspect of the matter, too, Hongkong is vitally interested. Kwanchau-wan is but two hundred miles from Hongkong, and did it become under French rule a first-class naval base it is useless to shut our eyes to the fact that the strategic position of Hongkong would be materially affected. However friendly the Power, the close proximity of a great naval base and depot of that Power to one of our most important possessions, as this island undoubtedly is, can only be looked on as a menace, necessitating a strengthening of our resources in this part of the world. Kwanchau wan, we are quite pre-

> Two more Chinese plague cases, both fatal, were reported up to noon yesterday. One body was found in George Lane.

pared to believe, was occupied and will be

converted into a naval base, without any

hostile intentions against Great Britain

but, nevertheless, the threat is there, latent

though it may be.

The band of the 33rd Burma Infantry will play selections of music at the Queen's Hotel, Kowloon, to-morrow evening during dinner.

The Foochow Echo says that on the 14th inst a tiger was caught in a pit-trap about half-way between Kuliang and Doong Liang. The tiger. had been living on pige and dogs in that neighbourhood during the winter. It was reported to be a female and to have two cubs, for which the natives are now seeking.

Some commotion was created in Queen's Road East yesterday afternoon by the spectacle of a drunken blue schet being treated to the " frog's march" by a party of Garrison military police. The prisoner's language was as violent as were his struggles, and the half-dozen soldiers in charge of him had no light task on their hands.

Mr. Thomas Henderson Whitehead, the Australia and China, in conjunction with Mr. Caleb Lewis. We congrutulate Mr. Whitehead on this merited distinction, which unfortunately, however, seems to dispose of any hopes of his return to Hongkong.

With reference to the case of stone-throwing in Winglok Street on Sunday night, it appears that the two Chinese, though in uniforms resembling those of the police, were not lukongs but private watchmen. It is satisfactory, to find that the two men in question were not in the police force, but on the other hand, the absence of a constable from Winglok Street and its immediate neighbourhood is not satisfactory if, as we have heard from various sources, the throwing of missiles is

indulged in there. The following appointments have been made at the Admiralty: - Lieutenants : Cyril Asser, Tamar, for Whiting; Goo. C. Hardy, to Goliath, new formation, and Navy Captain Jacobsen for Hart (all in command on recommissioning, undated); Robert G. Hammond, to Gotiath, for Hart, on recommissioning (undated). Sub-Lieutenants: Herbert R. Stokes, to Glory, for Fame; John A. S. Blackwood, to Tamar, for Whiting, both on recommissioning (undated); Inspector of Machinery W. Sharp, to the Golfath, additional, for service with the China Fleet (to date July 21).

Orders have been issued directing the 30 knot torpedo-bost destroyer Fame to recommissioned on the China Station, and by Lient. Com. C. Asser. The 30-knot destroyer Whiting and the 27 knot destroyer Hart also ordered to be recommissioned on the China Station, the Whiting by Lieut, C. recommended the government to under- ship at Hongkong, and the Hart by Lieut. England and Japan to casure peace as far as fraining in steam tactics which turns a mere

to Hongkong from Weibniwsi. The river dock at Kowloon, and the Rinoldo at the ganboat Teat has left Shanghai for the Cosmopolitan Dock. Yangtage.

The Tear has awarded the gold Russian war medal to 13 corporals of the German Marines who took part in the defence of the Peking Legations.

The revenue derived from Chinese immigration into Canada during the fiscal year is returned at \$364,972, as compared with \$173,704 the previous year. This results from the doubling of the poll-tax, which is now \$100.

Baron von Czikaun, the Austrian Minister in Peking, arrived in Vienna on the 19th ult. coming by the Siberian Railway. Baren von Czikann says travelling on the Siberian Railway is rather tiresome and very slow. During the greater part of the journey the accommodation scandalised. was rather deficient.

It is reported that the re-establishment of free trade in Visdivo took is being omsidered only logical way out of this difficulty is the return to the old state of affairs, i.e., free trade.

There is no such thing us a novel or, newspaper in Corea, says a London paper. No regular story-writer is known to have lived there for 1,000 years. Education consists in a knowledge of the immortal Chinese classic. So sacred are printed books to the Coreans that they cannot be tossed about or trodden upon without offending the gods.

At Birkenhead on the 22nd ult., five Chinese sailors were charged with having deserted from the Ching Wo, a ressel belonging to the China Mutual Company. They complained that they had been ill-treated by their superiors, and would be hanged if handed over. An officer from the ship denied the allegation. The sailors were ordered back to their ship.

In spite of the very damaging revelations of late with regard to his conduct at Colemac, General Buller's popularity in his own county continues. On his way to distribute prizes at Blundells School the other day, General and Lady Buller arrived in Tirerton and were accorded a popular ovation. The General's carriage was unborsed, and drawn by the townsmen through the streets. Acknowledging Augustus Gaunt, R.N., for services in China. this reception. General Buller said: "Believe me, when I have got the chance to tell the truth I will show that the reception you have given me is not unworthy of me."

The following from the latest mail papers refers to an affair of which we have already had the outlines :- The latest particulars concerning the scandalous behaviour of Life Guards officers at Windsor go to show that there is a desire on the part of these concerned in the "ragging" of Lieutenant Gregson to treat the whole affair as a practical joke, the outcome of a spirit of boisterous fun. Every effort is being made to have the matter hushed up. inquiry has been ordered by Lieut. Colonel Sir. Audley Neeld, and the finding will; decide whether Lieutenant Gregson's semilants will appear before a military tribunal to answer for their conduct.

The attention of the Foreign Office baving been drawn to the fact that British postal packages to China pay duty to the Customs, while parcels arriving by German or French mails escape duty free, Lord Cranborne has informed Mr. Yerburgh, M.P., that import duty has been charged upon British postal packages to China, and that there is no doubt concerning the legality of the practice. " It is understood, however, that parcels from France and Germany have escaped such taxation; and the Foreign. home papers state, has been appointed joint Office will certainly insist upon equality of manager of the Chartered Bank of India, treatment. It appears that post offices are maintained in China by France and Germany and also by Great Britain, Japan, and Bussia. His Majesty's Government are unaware, how ever, whether the Chinese Government have sanctioned the French and German post offices.

At Teintau the governmental palace has been enlarged by additional buildings. The Governmene out there also is busy making good what the Chinese had spoiled in their time; they had hown down all the trees in the settlement, without planting new ones in their place. It is hoped that as the sattlement is forested again the climate out there will improve. military force at Kiaochow so far has consisted of five companies; the Naval Field Artillery of the three sea battalions and the Naval Artillery detachment. On Oct. 1 the whole detachment will be altered into a Naval Artillery detachment. Up to now a captain-lientenant was the commander of the detachment, but on has been named for that office, after having been busy in China since 1901.

To a correspondent who has had a conversation with him Viscount Watanabe stated that he regarded Japan's financial position as given birth to the albance would continue, he ships and many ornisers has pessed a year hoped, for a long time. It was the duty of without the opportunity for undergoing that

H.M. tirat-class cruiser Amphitrite is en route | H.M.SS. Wicern, Moorhen, and Taku are in

Regarding the Java-China-Japan line of steamers, it is said that three private Netherlands dooky rds are invited to deliver tenders each for one vessel -viz., at Amsterdam, Rotterdam and Flushing. One steamer will be constructed out of Holland. The steamer must have a length of about 300 English feet with engines of 1,500 indicated horse-power.

An adventurer, claiming high military rank and an important Chinese appointment, has victimised several Melbourne society people on the pretext of disposing of railway concessions. His wife and himself were received at the best houses. Dinners and balls were arranged in their honour. Finally, suspicions were aroused, and the couple disappeared. Society is muc

Miss I dyth Howard Gwyther, younge daughter of Mr. J. Howard Gwyther, Chairman of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, was married on the 23rd ult., at Christ Church, Lancaster Gate, Loudon, to Mr. J. E. Soderberg, eldest son of Edward Söderberg of Kristianstad, Sweden. The wedding presents were both numerous and costly, and were much admired by the large number of guests who were present.

Various promotions in and appointments to the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George. intimation of which has already been made, were announced in the London Gazette of the 22nd. Amongst these were :- To be G.C.M.G: -Sir Ernest Mason Sutow, K.C.M.G., His Majesty's Minister at Peking, To K.C.M.G .: -- Commodore-Francis Powell, R.N. for services in China. He is commodore in charge of naval establishments, Hongkong. He was decorated for services at Benin, and now enjoys the good service pension. Pelham Laird Warren, Esq., C.M.G., His Majesty Consul-General at Shanghal, for services in China, Mr. Warren passed his student in terpretership in 1867, and has been in China ever since. To be C.M.G .- William John Archer, Esq., His Majesty's Consul at Bangkok. Captain Arthur Calvert Clarke, R.N., for services in China. Chapman James Clare, South Australian Naval Defence Force, for services in Chiua. Commander Ernest Frederic

We take the following from a home paper :-Under the suspices of the Hastings and St; Leonards United Conservative Association, a fete was yesterday held at the Grove, Hollington, Mr. A. P. M'Ewen kindly placing his grounds at the disposal of the party. The roccasion was favoured by fine weather, and the arrangements had been admi. ably planned. Some thousands of visitors, many travelling by They have then to be broken in the presence road on conches and motor-cars, found abundant of one of his officers, who signs a certificate of sources of amusement in the spacious and destruction. I had the luck of hitting off two picturesque grounds. There were variety cuter- pictures that pleased the Kaiser, and these he tainments, comic cricket and football matches. keeps. He sent me copies of them and quite a races for old and young, and tugs-of-war. In large fee after meerly eight months. He is is causing considerable unessiness, the remotea marques erected on the lawn, Mr. M'Ewen entertained a numerous company at luncheon. Among those present were Lord Zonche, Mr. showing him in a relaxed attitude, with a soft H. C. Richards, K.C., M.P., Mr. Edward look in his eyes. He wants to be martial, He Boyle, K.C., and Captain Colvile, President, and Councillor Bradeam, Chairman of the United Association. After the loyal toasts, Mr. M'Ewen, in reply, referred to the fact of enemy in single combat." his having recently come to St. Leonards, and said during his residence there he and his family would do all they possibly could to further the Conservative cause in the district.

draws attention to a statement which recently

alleged shortage of coal on the China Station. Our contemporary asserts that, owing to this interesting articles on West Indian insects, cause, the China Squadron was last year unable to carry out its fleet exercises, and that Terrible had only been able to put in 18 days' sea-time during the 18 months she had been on the station. The official excuse will, of course, be exceptional pressure. But it was perfectly easy to foresee that the pressure would be exceptional. Steamers have needed coal for a good many years, and for a good many years also we have held the line communications to the Far East. It must, therefore, have been quite evident to anyone who gave the matter a moment's thought, that however valuable the assistance of the Concert of Europe (we will put it that way) might be in supplying armed force to deal with the disturbances in China, that assistance could only become available if we were prepared to find the sinews of war in the shape of coal. That, therefore, was the first thing for and it does not appear to have done it. Worse subaltern. There was a manly howl, answered which our Admiralty had to make provision, still; even when the pressure had passed away, it appears to have allowed a whole year to elapse before making the deficiency good The Admiralty will not be able, in this instand, to plead doubts and fears as to the possibility of the fuel supplied keeping its calorific prothoroughly sound. Comparing the ordinary porties, for it is not a question of the reserve. expenditure with the income the balance was on. of coal, but of the actual hand-to-mouth supply the right side. He had no reason to believe required to enable the squadron to go about its that any depression in Japan's finance was to daily business. Had the Powers of Europe be looked for in the near future. On the quarrelled over the spoil of China we should, if contrary, he thought there was the strongest | the facts have been correctly stated, have lost justification for thinking that the era of pros- the one immense advantage which should have perity that had set in would continue. Asked been ours; the power of obtaining an abundant how he regarded the alliance between England supply of fuel from a naval base -Hongkong and Japan Viscount Watsnahe replied, "I agree -lying on our possible enemy's line of comwith it in every respect." It would make for munications. Fortunately no war broke out peace in the Far East as nothing had even done but the consequences have none the less been before. That identity of interest which had serious. A squadron of four first-class battle-

H.M.S. Orlando was paid off into the B Division of the Portsmouth Floet Reserve on the 25th ult. by Com. P. H. Colomb.

The Siam Observer gives an authoritative contradiction to a report that the Government of Slam is sending troops to Kelantan or some other part of the Malay Peninsula.

Miss S. L. Pownall Wright, late of Newsham College and the Ladies Training College. Cambridge, has been appointed Professor of English at the Women's College, Tokyo University.

We take the following from a copy of the Globe last month :- Nobody will by surprised. we imagine, to learn that yesterday was the coldest July day on record for the last ten years. Even in London the thermometer did not reach 60deg and the temperature in some parts of the country was much lower. Just a week ago we had 87deg. in the shade, and something like 130 in the sunshine.

After a series of experiments with a view to render torpedo-boats invisible, the German Naval Department has resolved upon a coat of brownish grey. Boats coated with this colour have yielded excellent results in all tests made. At 1.60) yards they were absolutely undistinguishable, and difficult to detect at shorter distances. The only drawback is that the paint has to be renewed rather frequently. All the torpede-boats of the Kiel Division are to appear.

A case of flagrant insubordination occurred last month at Gailes Camp, near Irvine, where several thousand Scottish Volunteers were undergoing their annual training. The bandsmen of the 4th Lauark, on the ground that they were not allowed sufficient pay, refused accompany their battalion to manceuvres. The men were immediately put under arrest, and on the return of the battalion to camp were paraded before the commanding officer. In the course of a short speech the latter told them their conduct was disgraceful, and directed that they should be dismissed with ignominy from the regiment. The sentence was carried out immediately, the facings being torn off their tunies and the men-drummed out of camp.

Nadar, the great photographer of Paris, recently told an interviewer about some of bis Royal sitters. The German Emperor seems to be one of the most difficult. He never allows the photographer to suggest or rearrange the pose. "I tried it twice," says Nadar, "protesting; Your Majesty, the light is not good thus; kindly look in the other direction." But be replied curtly each time: 'I want you to take my portrait just so. With that system he frequently gets twenty negatives made, al bad in some respect, and he rejects them all. never in a hurry to pay, I am told. peculiarity of his is that he has no picture information. may have been chatting, laughing—and he can be a good comrade when he wants to-but the minute he gets in front of the camera he stares "The Host" was proposed by Dr. Deeping, at it, right in the eye, as he would to cow an

A military contributor writes to M.A.P. saying that Mr. T. P. O'Connor in his recent paragraph about Sir Henry and Lady Blake omitted to mention that the latter is a great In a leading article the St. James's Gasette | naturalist, passionately devoted to animals of all kinds, and generally surrounded by a perfect appeared in a service paper concerning the menagerie of them. Whilst in Jamaica Lady Blake, who, by the way, has written many particularly on fireflies, possessed a tame tiger cat, which reamed about the grounds at will "I do not know whether that tiger-out still lives, but he was once the hero of a very moving incident," adds the contributor, "during the days of my service in Jamaica. During a Government House ball a gay subaltern and a maiden fair wandered forth into the grounds, no doubt with a view to improving their astronomical knowledge. Presently they espied a rustic seat beneath a spreading tree, and sat down upon it, little reckoning that underneath was stretched the tiger-cat fast asleep. The lips of Mars were all but in conjunction with the lips of Venus when the tiger-cat awoke from dreams of his native fastnesses. Perhaps he, too, wished to study the heavens, and was sanoyed at finding his view obscured; or possibly it was merely his playfulness, but any. way he stretched up a paw between the hars of the seat, and -shall we say ?-clubg to the by a feminine shrick and a low, spitting snarl; the lady stood not upon the order of her going, but went swiftly towards the house. But it. was some time before the subaltern could tear in the opinion of our Belgian contemporary, himself away from the suchanted spot, and when he did it was only to plunge into a neighbouring thicket, whence he issued fervent appeals to all and sundry to bring him a gun and an overcoat"

## COLLEGE OF MEDICINE.

A meeting of the General Council and students of the Hougkong College of Medicine for Chinese will be held in the Legislative Council Chamber to-morrow at 12 noon when His Excellency Sir W. J. Gascoigne, K.C.M.G., will present the diploma of the College to the following students who have completed the curriculum of study and passed the professional examination :- Teo Han Kee (with distinction), Lan Lai, Lee Yie Sae, Ho Ko Tsun and Chan Pal Kwong.

## TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE. FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, 25th August, 7.30 p.m. THE FRENCH AT KWANCHAUWAN. The French authorities are considering the project for establishing a naval base at

Bayard, involving a cost of £1,250,000

Kwanchnuwan, between Nivet and For

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, 23rd August.

AMERICAN LAWN TENNIS. The American doubles won by the Doherty brothers, reported on the 15th instant, was in Long Island (New York) Tennis Championship competitions.

CAPE PARLIAMENT. The Cape Assembly has passed the second reading of the Parliamentary and Financial Indemnity Bills. Rt. Hon. Sir J. Gordon Sprigg. Premier, said that he believed martial law would be repealed a week hence.

JAPAN AND CANADA. The Times Ottawn correspondent states that Count Komura, Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs, has sout the Canadian Government a strong protest against the restricted legislation ensoled in British Columbia, which the Federal authorities will undoubtedly disallow.

DROUGHT IN AUSTRALIA ENDED. The pretracted drought in New South Wales and Queensland has broken.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING. The prothers Feszon, one s Hammersmith clergyman and the other au Inspector of Factories, have been killed by lightning on the Wetterhorn

A BYE-ELECTION. Mr. H. W. Forster (Conservative) has been re-elected for Sevencules with 5,333 votes against Mr. Morice (Liberal) with 4,442 votes.

LONDON, 24th August.

FRANCE AND ABYSSINIA His Highpess Ras Makonnen of Abyssinis. has terminated his visit to France, and has embarked at Marseilles for Aden.

BELATED NEWS. Mosers Bruce and Lewis Lowis Live mission tries belonging to the China Inland Missionary Society have been beaten to death by a mob in the Province of Hunan. The affair

THE CIGAR-OPERATIVES STRIKE. IN MANILA

The latest news to hand from Mapile brought by the Peria reveals some startling developments in connection with the strike of the cigar operatives. It appears that the men were willing and anxious to return to work but they were intimidated, and threatened by the instigator and originator of the strike. Incrimating evidence, in the shape of letters, having been found on persons of a certain man's emissaries (who are all under arrest), a warrant was issued, and he was arrested and louged at the the Parisn Street police station He is to be tried by Judge Boxes at Passy and it is now confidently asserted that the removal of this arch agitator from the arms of contest will a sedily bring the strike to an end.

## ROBINSON CRUSOE'S ISLE.

The small island of Juan Fernandez, home of Robinson Crusos, the friend and hero of our childhood, now acquires, according to a report in the Bulletin Commercial, a certain industrial importance. This island situated in the Southern Pacific, about 950 kilometres, or 590 English miles, from Valparaiso, is about 15 miles long and 8 miles wide, and has a very good natural harbour where even vessels of large draught can anchor with safety. Under Chilian jurisdiction, a large cannery has recently been established for the packing of fish, lobsters, and orabs, which are said to be not only very abundant but also of excellent quality. The lobsters are reported to be of immense size and very fine flesh, and as the supply of these crustaces is considered plentiful for many years to come, and the cost of same very low indeed, there is, every chance of success for the establishment of up-to-date camperies. As a further source of income is mentioned, the catch of a kind of seal which abounds in Juan Fernandez and some of the neighbouring islands, the skins of these snimals meeting with a good market in Valparaiso at any time. There are numerous springs of excellent water in the island, and cost of living would be abnormally cheap, as fruits and vegetables can be grown almost without attention.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS. The silk or N.P. steamer Glenogle arrived in Now York on the 14th inst.

The N.P. steamer Duke of Fife left Yokounma for Tacoma on the 26th inst. The P. & O. steamer Naskia left. Singapore for this port on the 25th lest, at 11 a m.

In mentioning some features of the World's Fair, Mr. Theodore Hardee, Secretary to the Commissioner-General, stated that it was called the "Louisiana Purchase Exposition," because it will celebrate the one-hundredth anniversary of the purchase from France by the United States of the "Louisiana Territory" in 18 3. This territory comprises an area exceeding one million square miles and its acquisition did more than any other influence to make the United States a great nation. It will open, however, in 1904 instead of 1903 out of deference to the wishes of loreign countries who have indicated to the United States Government. they could not get ready for 1903. The date of spening will be April 30, 1994, and that of closing December 1 of the same year. Over six million pounds sterling will be expended in making it surpass the exposition at Paris in 1900 and that at Chicago in 1893. The ground area will cover nearly, 1,200 acres and the buildings will be the largest ever constructed. St. Louis is the fourth dity of the United States in population and the second railway centre. Seven hundred thousand people live within its limits. It is situated on the Mississippi river about four hundred miles south-west of Chicago and is in the very heart of the United States. In many respects its location is superior to any other city in the country for an exhibition.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA. AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

An extraordinary general meeting of the above company was beld at the Cannon Street Hotel, London, E.C., on the 22nd sit, Mr.

J. H. Gwyther in the chair. The notice convening the meeting having been read, the Chairman-expressed his regret at having had to call a meeting that day, but their charter compelled it, and they had to abide by the law. The following letter had been addressed to the First Lord of the Treasury .- The general public in Hongkong, European and Chinese alike, object to receiving payments of even moderate amounts in cash, a reason, no doubt, being due to the unwieldy nature of the silver currency. In consequence of this, the demand for bank-notes has increased to such an extent that, especially during the time of the Chinese New Years, great difficulty is experienced by the manager of the Hongkong branch of this Bank in meeting the requirements of his customers. The limit for note circulation at that branch under the existing charter is not sufficient to enable us to cope with the demands of the community. The matter is one of public convenience, and we therefore ask your lordships to consider our request that we should be authorised to issue notes in excess of the total amount of \$8,000,000 us provided in our chater against the coin or bullion equal to the whole value of such excess issue for the time being actually in circulation. Under the conditions of the proposed arrangement it is manifest that no difficulty would accrue to the bank if the privilege we now ask were accorded. The benefit to the colony, however, would be of considerable importance. as cash payments will be greatly facilitated and business transactions promoted generally."

\$3,000,000 authorised by its existing charters.

mosnimously. This concluded the meeting.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

A PASSENGER'S COMPLAINT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Hongkong Hotel, 20th August. SIR,-I should feel much obliged by your inserting, in the interest of the travelling public, the following account of my voyage from Bombay to this port in the Austrian Lloyd s.s. Nippon, which arrived here last night via Colombo, Penaug, and Singapore.

The Nippon, a fine large steamer of 8,000 tons, is now on her maiden voyage from Europe to Japan; it is a cargo-best with so-called singleclass accommodation for passengers, which really means second-class, her cabins accommodating 26 persons. . .

From Bombay to Colombo I was the only passenger, and felt on the whole very satisfied with the ship, its necommodation, and quietnoss. At this first halting-place, our passenger list was increased by an English lady with her baby and ayah, bound for Penang in the saloon and some Enropean and native deck passengers. These left us on arrival in Penang, when a Chinese lady with baby and Austrian Lloyd S.S. Company, 'As the Nippon ayah took the place of her paleface was to have no more Chinese passengers on her sister besides a couple of hundred of Chinese voyage from this port to Yokohama, I decided deck-passengers. But the latter all remained to continue my journey in her. She was on the afterpart of the ship, and left me the duly advertised to sail on the 22nd inst., but forepart for promenading. We left Bombay there was on the following day not the slightest on the 29th July, and arrived on the 10th inst, at Singapore, from which port my trials commenced. We were to leave Singapore on the would not commit themselves by naming day morning of the .4th inst., and having been out and hour of departure, and referred me to the to dinner the night previous, I did not come on board till late at night. I went straight to that she would not sail till Monday, and if my cabin downstairs, where a veritable pandemonium reigned. The passages were filled day they might be able to give me some up with boxes and cases of every description, while a savage and sweating horde of Mongolisus was harrying to and fro smidst the most frightful din and uproar, carrying ever more bankets and boxes, and all the paraphernalis of Chinese travellers. The cabin opposite mine was occupied by a Japanese gentleman and two ladies, who all through the voyage conducted themselves as such. But from some of the other cabins too most mearthly sounds and noises emanated; shrill yells from the Chinese babies and all sorts of throat-noises from the men! With the help of the chief officer, a certain amount of quiet and peace was restored; but he informed me that they were cabin-passengers, and that he had no power to interfere too much with them. With a few interruptions the noise lasted the whole night, and when I woke up after a bad night we were already under way. It did not take long to transform the passenger accommodation, hitherto looking like the abode of "white men," into a veritable pigsty. The addition of a dozen Chinese cabin-passengers, including children, with all their servants and hangers on, made our quarters resemble a Chinese back slum. As the Chinese had their food brought to them by the Chinese cook, there was a continual carrying down of great quantities of rice, accompanied by large trays of the most evil-smelling messes and unholy staws which it is possible to imagine; while the intervals of meal-times were occupied by the consumption of fruits and sweets, and with the

refuse of the same the floor was littered. The bathrooms and lavatories were need for the most disgusting and ladierous purposes, until one of each of these were exhasively reserved for the use of myself and the Japanese. The female portion of the Chinese passengers never stirred from the accommodation downstairs, neither did the babies; while the male and female servents remained there also most of the day and night, sleeping either on sofas or deckchairs in the passages, carrying with them, from their occasional visits to their friends on deck, all the dirt and filth inseparable-from hundreds of cooped-up Chinese. The steach of all these unwashed barbarians, coupled with the smells of Chinese food, and the opin m fumes emanating from some of the cubins. become at last in this badly ventilated locality. well-nigh unbearable. The chief officer-who on board these steamers is in charge of the passengers-did his best to improve matters, but what can one do against the passive resistancaof the heathen Chinec? That officer has other duties; besides, with 700 Chinese cooli es mise, and if the Company puts the passengers on have passed a very satisfactory trial. This is

done by another Company." It is the Austrian Lloyd Co. which is to of water in the Thames at Hampton Court, blame here, and I consider it nothing short but | For the same authority, Mesers. J. & H. scandalous, that this Company, under contract Gywane are at present engaged in construct. with the Imperial Government of Austria, from ing the sand-pumping machinery for the large which it receives a heavy subsidy, should suction deedger now being built by Messre. subject its passengers to herd with coolies, Viekers, Son & Maxim at Barrow, the duty of and subject them to surroundings on board its | which is to raise sand at the rate of 4,200 tons steamers which could not be worse on a per hour. Amongst the other important coolie carrying boat in the coast trade. It is contracts recently executed by this enterprising in my opinion grossly unfair that the Company | Company, or at present in hand, are the should advertise, without any comment, that she | pumping engines for the Government Docks has accommodation for passengers, without at Bombay (replacing those by another mentioning that she takes Chinese coolies, or manufacturer); the Euskalduna Docks, Bilbao worse, also as such ; if they had, informed me and Buenos Aires Waterworks; and for the Continuing, the Chairman said they would beforehand of what I had to expect in this new dock now in course of construction by the then see that the company was acting pro bono regard I could have no cause for complaint of London and South Western Railway Company publico. (Applanse.) He would now read the course; but when I take passage with an at Southampton. This last is to be one of the resolution. That the Court of Directors be European S.S. Co., and a mail steamship to largest graving docks in the world. They have authorised to apply for and to take all such steps | boot, I have a right to expect treatment on as they may deem expedient to obtain such an board as an European, and not to be subjected extension by supplemental charter or otherwise to such disgraceful surroundings as was the of the Bauk's powers under its present charters | case on board the Nippon. Paragraph 3, of as will enable it to increase the amount of its | the "Internal Regulations" displayed in a issue of promissory notes above the amount of conspicuous place in the sleeping accommodation downstairs, says :- "It is not allowed to Mr. Levits seconded, and it was carried lie down with boots or shoes, either on the solas or the beds; neither is it allowed to keep luggage in the saloon to embarrace the private

cabins, or to spoil the books, furniture, and utenuits of the ship." But I wonder whether it is allowed for unwashed Mongols to lie down with their dirty feet, and perhaps dirtier clothes. on the plush covering of the ship's sofas? am almost certain that the damage done to the furniture and utenails of the ship by the Nippon's Chinese cabin-passengers (?) will not balauce the 825 a head passage-money. In the presont instance, however, the Company is condemned out of its own mouth I think, for

paragraph 12 of the Internal Regulations savs: -"Passengers having a right to be treated like persons of education will no doubt conform Gidley, was placed in the dock on a charge of themselves to the rules of good society by respecting their fellow travellers," etc. If the Austrian Lloyd considers it consistent with this right of their passengers, and with the rules of good society, that her Chinese passengers continually offend the sense of decency and propriety of their European fellow-passengers by a disregard for the first audiments of civilisation, then I have nothing more to say, except that the Internal Regulations should be amended to this effect, in order to-avoid misconception .- Yours, etc.,

J. N. KALFF. P. S .- Since writing the foregoing, I received the following treatment at the hands of the evidence that she would leave Kowloon Wharf either that day or the next. The ship's officers agents. By them I was informed on Saturday was passing there during the morning of that information about the sailing time. I mentioned to the agent that I intended to pass the Sunday with some friends in the Peak, but that I wished to be guaranteed against being left behind. No, there was no danger of that coming to pass, and I was assured that I could safely spend the day in the Peak, which I accordingly did. I took the 10.30 p.m. ferry Sanday night, but found on arrival at Kowloon, no Nippon. Thinking she had gone into the stream, I returned to Hongkong, and took a sumpan, whose skipper assured me confidently that "Me savvy Nippon big ship, four masts." After an hour's unsuccessful search in the roadsteed, I returned to shore, where I roused up the Chinese stavedore of the Company, from whom I learned that "Nippon gone

passage-money, and that I would even that day find another steamer. Here I had been specially waiting for this ship, and at the eleventa hour was simply left in the lurch by the responsible representative of: the Company, who was aware of the name and residence of the friends I was passing the Sunday with at the Peak. But all my representations that my ticket implied a contract which they could not break at will, and in such an unjustifiable and anbusinesslike way, met with a non possumus from even the head of the house, who coolly stated that on principle he refused to accede to my request, sir, to send me to my place of destination at the Company's expense; no, all he could do was to refund me my passage-money! Now, sir, what is one to do in such a cynical identration of the right of the strongest?

away fo' e'clock." On arriving at the

Company's office on Monday morning, 1

was met by a hearty laugh from the agent,

who considered the whole thing evidently

as a joke, and informed me that such

things would happen; that he had had no idea

on Saturday the ship would be ready so soon;

that they were really not responsible, as these

ships were not properly speaking passenger-boats

etc., etc., but that he would return me the

We omit some portions of our correctpondent's letter, partly from reasons of space.

J. N. K.

## A GREAT PUMPING FIRM.

J. & H. Gwynne, Ld., of the Hammersmith Iron Works, have just completed the erection of the pumping engines for the Canada-Huskisson Dock, Liverpool, the property of the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board. These engines on board, one is perforce compelled to compro. deliver 1,200 tons of water per minute, and board, it is not for the ship's officers to remove the fifth large set of dock pumping-machinery them from the accommodation for which they have supplied to this Board, the total have pad, but which, I believe, under the pumping power of the installations being about circumstances in question, would have been 5,500 tons (1,210,000 gallons) per minute, which is the equivalent of some five times the volume. &c., &c., and additional machinery for the Osaka and Shanghai waterworks.

BEWARE of the Party offering imitations of ---MACNIVEN & CAMERON'S PENS. "They come as a boon and a bleesing to men, The Pickwick, the Owl, and the Waverley Pon. Sold at all Stationers. MACHIVEN & CAMERON, Ltd., Waverley Work,

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, 26th August.

BEFORE MR. F. A. HAZELAND (POLICE MAGISTRATE).

PRIBON-BREAKING.

Wong Hoi, a prisoner who escaped from Victoria Gaol on 27th September, 1898, by climbing a 30-foot wall and dropping down on the other side-a feat he accomplished, remark. able to relate, without austaining injury-and who was arrested on the 16th inst. by Inspector breaking prison. There was another charge against the defendant of stealing a pair of transers from Victoria Gael, and his Worship decided to hear it first.

The warder who was in charge of the gang in which the defendant was working at the time of his escape gave evidence of identification and said he found the defendant's prison trousère, bearing his registered number, 213, lying near the wall which he scaled. The missing pair was taken from the tailor's shop, in which the defendant had been employed.

Sentence was deferred and the first charge against the prisoner proceeded with. He pleaded

James Sinuott, acting chief warder in Victoria Gaol, produced the committal warrant, dated 8th March, 1898, and bearing a santence of twelve months hard labour for returning from banishment.

Another warder said that when the defeudant's escape became known the prison yard was searched, but without result. He then went outside the prison and found a pice of timber about fourteen feet long. The sup. position was that the defendant bridged the gap between the ledge to which he had climbed and the boundary wall by means of this pole, and afterwards thrown it down outside. search was made for the escaped man, but ended fruitlessly

The defendant was committed for trial on the first charge and sentenced to a month's hard labour on the second.

THE STOCKS AGAIN. Some little time ago his Worship sentenced coolie who had been convicted of theft at the Hunghom Docks to be exposed in the stocks for a space of two hours, as a means of putting an end, if possible, to the petty larcenies that frequently take place there. Yesterday another coolie who pleaded guilty to stealing three yards of canvas belonging to the Dock Company was sentenced to three weeks' hard labour and also ordered to be exposed in the stocks for a couple.

### SHIPPING SUBSIDIES.

Messra. Alfred Holt and Co. write as follows

to the Times :-It is greatly to be hoped that shipowners will not be tempted to barter their birthright of free trade for a chance in a scramble for a mess of pottage in the shape of subsidies. The mercantile marine has been built up by, and depends upon, the free trade system; and though, no doubt, shipowners who advocate shipping subsidies do not propose similarly to help by protection other harassed industries, it would prove impossible to confine pretection to single trade. "I sm in favour of free trade, Mr. Cobded, in everything except herrings," said the berring dealer; but, unless the principle be rigidly agnered to of not dipping into the taxpayer's pocket to benefit any individual interest, the result will soon be a competitive attack upon the Treasury such as is believed to be made at Washington by powerful trade combinations, in which the welfare of the general public passes out of view altogether. Protection in other industries must diminish the amount of cargo moving, and the carrying trade with saffer proportionately. It is often urged while subsidies are in themselves undesirable, the action of foreign nations compelling us to follow them in this policy if we are to keep our shipping industry alive. But the shipping trade, so far from being nearly extinct, has (though at the moment depressed) passed through within the last four years one of its periods of greatest prosperity. That the foreign subsidising system is vexations we well know, for our line (of cargo steamers to the Far East) has for years had to compete, while itself unsubsidised, with French, German, Dutch, and Japanese subsidised times. But before a policy of retaliating subsidies is rushed into, the following

points need to be weighed. 1. Is shipping the only industry injured the victous tiscal arrangements of foreign countries? Could not, and would not, many manufacturers and others who suffer from foreign turiffs put in a strong plea for similar help if the taxpayer were induced to endow

2. Would the proposed remedy strengthen British shipping? There is much experience to show that public doles are demoralising to an industry, as eleemosynary help is to an individual, and for similar reasons. In the long run wo shall be the stronger for walking with-

What practical proposal can be made ! Either all British shipping must be subsidised, which, to be effective, would involve an anthinkable charge upon the taxpayer, or the doles must be given sporadically, presumably, to those who can best prove their need for them. pleasant and dignified for a shipower to have to teave his office and spend his time in the lobbies endeavouring to convince politicians that he in particular is being nearly ruined by foreign subsidies I And it must be remembered that every subsidy given to one selected ship owner acts as a positive injury to the unsubsidised. Practically, would the great body of shipping tand such selective subsidising : It often seems to be assumed that only passenger lines are worthy of consideration, perhaps because they come most prominently betore the general public and their name sounds most familiar; but usually cargo shipowners have a harder struggle, and they render an equally important national

What, then, it may be asked, can be done to remedy the hardships which it is admitted that foreign enbrides inflict? Certainly no such expedient is to be thought of as he revival of the Navigation Laws, those products of the dark eges of commercial policy, nor imposition of differential dues upon soreign Vessels or differential duties on greats imported in them. The true shipping policy is to meet bad foreign fiscal methods with sulightened British methods, eliminating such elements of subsidising as have found their way, contrary to our general principle, into even our own arrangements made ostensibly for purely postal purposes. Just as protective tariffs should be tought with free imports, so subsidised should be fought by mesubardised British enterprise. Buch a policy requires patience, but there is absolutely nothing in the present state of the 1939-3 shipping world to make us despair of its success.

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Hongkong, 6th May, 1902. RUSSIA'S MARITIME NAVIGATION.

The greater the maritime commerce and the greater its preponderance in the general commercial movements of a country, greater also is the importance of maritime navigation.

Russia seems to be in this respect in a very favourable position, because two-thirds of it. exported goods are exported by sen, and more than 50 per cent. of the imported goods also come by way of the Russian seaports. In 1897 goods to the value of 516,200,000 roubles were imported into Russia, and of this amount 299,000,000 roubles came by sea. It is evident, consequently, that a great career is open to the Russian Mercantile Navy. At present, however, the progress of maritime navigation under the Russian flag is still insignificant, and Russian ships represent only 8 to 10 per cent. of the tonnage of foreign ships of distant navigation. English ships take 33 per cent. of the total tonnage; Germany 11.8 per cent.; Danish 12 per cent.; and Scandinav.an 10 per

The little progress of the Russian mercantile navy can be easily explained by the circumstance that for a long time Russian commerce was of a passive character, and up to the present it is still in the hands of foreigners. Besides, navigation in Russia came into existence much later than in other countries, and Russia had to start on a new career where her strong and experianced rivals have already advanced greatly.

The Russian Government has always attached great importance to her commercial navy. Since Peter the Great various measures have been taken to consolidate this branch of trade, and this sovereign and his successors endenvonred to make navigation under the Russian flag profitable to their subjects, prescribing a reduction in the duties on goods imported by Russian ships. A similar measure existed in France until the middle of the last century, but was abrogated in Russia much sooner-at the end of the 18th century-as a consequence of commercial treaties concluded on the principle of entire reciprocity. As a saustitute for this loss of advantages the Government used to pay for some years between 1802-1816-bounties to ships sailing under the Russian flag, but later, us this measure had little influence on the development of the Russian navy, it was abrogated, and the system of protection was, superseded by free trade.

in 1830 an important step was taken, but only came into practice in 1845. It was to the effect that coasting navigation should only be carried on in Russian ships. This law, with a series of many favourable conditions, such as the building of ports with railway communication, resulted in the development of commercial navigation and the increase of inland trade in which Russian ships alone participated. In 1897 the small Russian coasting vessels have transported-exclusive of those on the Caspium Sea-36,000,000 cwt. of various goods. Since the promulgation of this law the privileges of vessels under the Russian flag have increased. This new law, which entered into existence, on January 1st, 1900, extends the privilege to large Russian vessels, plying between St. Petersburg and Odessa, or St. Petersburg and Vladivostock. The only exception concerns salt, which, as previously, can be transported under foreign flags between the Black Sea and the Baltic.

In the latter half of the 19th century, the Russian Government made great efforts to encourage steam navigation, having a regular service in European waters, and in the northern and southern seas to establish communications with their possessions in the Far East. The first and most important of these enterprises was the Russian Steam Navigation Company, started in 1856 with a Government subsidy and free grants of land on which to build dooks, quays, etc., and also giving them a sum of money each time the journey was made under the prescribed time. In the beginning, the Government paid this Company 1,900,000 roubles, but in 1891 the conditions were changed, the Government allowing the Company 616,000 roubles a year to establish a regular service of steam vessels between the Black Sea and Alexandria in the Mediterranean. At the present time this Company possesses 77 steamers, totalling 145,860 tons.

The second Steam Navigation Company was started in 1875, partly with the help of the Government, but for the most part, the money was raised by national subscription when Russia was threatened with an European war. When the danger of war was over, the four vessels thus obtained were presented to the Government under the administration of the Minister of Marine, and with them was started the company known as the Volunteer Fleet. This company has now 14 vessels with a tonnape of 47,000 tons, and a Government subsidy of 600,000 roubles per annum. The Government also gives subsidies to several other steamboat companies having a regular service in the North, the White Sea, and Arctic Sea; in the South, the Caspian Sea and in the Far East. In 1900 t cost the Government 2,556,000 roubles. Beside these companies, there are others having no Government subsidy, and

number increases in proportion with the in-

crease of commercial activity. Three of them,

the Russo-Baltic, the Oriental Asia, and the

Russia, were started on a capital of 8,000,000 roubles. The Government favours these companies by allowing them to buy foreign ships and in exempting them from all custom duties. Special favours are shown by the Government to ships travelling to the East by the Sues Canal; in paying their canal duties, which amounts to 600,000 roubles yearly.

In conclusion, we will give some statistic data concerning the Russian commercial navy. On the 1st of January, 1897, the number of large vessels under the Russian flag were 11,005 with a tonnage of 9.062,000 tons. Of this total, Sea of Azov and the Black Sea along account for 5.274,900 tons. The following are the principal Russian seaports, with the tonnage of their vessels :- Odessa, 1.719,000 tons St Petersburg, 1,374,000 tons; Rigs, 1,018,000 tons; Bateum, 869,000 tons; Nicolaeff, 682,000 tons; Taganrog, 589,000 tons .- Russia.

### NEW YORK POLICEMEN. Next to the amount of attention paid them by

the Press and public the most astonishing thing

about the New York policemen is their wealth

and the number of outside interests they con

trive to combine with their profession. A trial that is still going on has produced some interesting statistics on these points. One sergeaut. who owned up to being worth £37,000, declared that he had made his money by speculating in diamonds and paintings and on the race-course. An inspector, with just under £60,000 to his credit, put it all down to "luck on the street." captain, who was believed to have over £100,000 at his bankers, admitted that he had made a good deal out of real estate, those he lived in an £8,000 house, and was the owner of several tenements. Two other captains estimated their fortunes at £40,000 apiece, one of them adding that to lose £2,000 at a single race. meeting " did not worry him any." these replies there was probably some truth. more at any rate than in the answer of the inspector who informed the Lexow Committee that he had made his money by "dealing in corner-A man who joins the New York police has from the start a chance of adding to his pay. There is, to begin with, the blackmail exacted from PRIODE MISOLA bucket shops, houses, pool-rooms, and gambling dens. The New York patrolman never connives at illegality except on a cash basis. As he gets promotion he may fly at bigher game. More the one policemen there has laid the foundation of his fortune by arrest. ing some prominent financier and then releasing him in exchange for "a sure thing" on Wall Street. Others make a point of loitering about the hotels and picking up tips from the politicians and brokers who frequent them. Some such devices they have to adopt, as whenever l'ammany is in power it costs a man 260 to get

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Gods are landed, -Goods not cle red by the 2nd prox., at 2 P.M., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in

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5., Foodlow Cup. 2-mile post once round and in, Open Walers. 6. Derby, One and a half Miles, Waler Griffing, 7. Lucitano Cup, On Mile, China Griffine, 8. Club Cup, One and a half Miles, China Ponies.

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Open Walers. 4. German Cup. One Mile and a quarter, China Griffing. Garrison Cup, One Mile, Waler Griffins, 6. Jockey Cup, One Mile, China Griffins. 7. Great Southern Stakes, 2-mile post once round and in, China Ponies.

8. Navy Cup, One and a quarter Mile. Hongkong Walers. 9. Hongkong Stakes, One Mile and a half. China Griffina. 10, Tai Yenk Fong Cup, Once round, China

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. The Parses Cup, One Mile, China Ponies. Phaeton Stakes, 7 Mile, Waler Griffins. 8. Champions, One Mile and a quarter, China Ponies. 9. Waler Champions, One Mile and a quarter, Open Walers.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. General Managers INDO-CHINA B. N. Co. LD. Hongkong, 14th August, 1902.

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NOTICE.

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Hongkong, 27th August, 1902. EDWARDS, PIRY & CO., LTD.

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N INTERIM DIVIDEND at the Late A. of 4 per Cent. (Two Dollars per Share), for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1902, will be paid to those Persons who are Registered as Shareholders in the above Company on the 30th August, 1902. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company wil be CLOSED from the 27th to the 30th in tant, both days inc usive.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Secreta v. Hongkong, 21st August, 1902. THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY.

LIMITED. ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the above named Company held on the 18th day of August, 1902, it was recoived that the following Ordinary Shares of the said Company, the distinguishing, Numbers of which are hereunder written, be, and they were duly FORFEITED in Accordance with Article No. 28 of the Articles of Association of the

said Company. Notice of the liability to FORFEITURE of these SHARES appeared in the Hongkong Local Newspapers from the 8th day of July to the 25th day of July, 1902.

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W. KERFOOT HUGHES, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 20th August, 1902. CAMPBELL, MOORE & COMPANY, LIMITED

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The TRANSFER BCOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 26th August to the 9th September, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, M. A. A. SOUZA,

Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1902. NOTICE

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THE CERTIFICATE No. 302, dated 22nd L . September, 1883, of the Five Shares Nos. \$986/8990 in this Company, standing in the name of MR. TANG A LOK, of Hongkong. has been LOST, and if at the expiration of One Month from the date hereof the above document be not forthcoming another Certificate will be issued by the Company and thereafter no other will be acknowledged. Dated 25th August, 1902.

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CONCERNS MY PROTATE AFFAIRS. What have you found there ! inquired Ambler Jevous, quickly interested, and surprised at my determination to conceal it from him.

. "Something that concerns me," I replied "Concerns you?" he ejaculated. "I don't understand. How can soything among the old

man's private papers concern you?" "This concerns me personally," I answered. "Surely that is sufficient explanation." "No," my friend said, "Forgive me, Ralph, for speaking quite plainly, but in this affair we are both working towards the sameend-namely.

to elucidate the mystery. We cannot hope for success if you are bent upon concessing your discoveries from me. "This is a private affair of my own,

declared doggedly. What I have found only concerns myrelf. He shrugged his shoulders with an air distinct dissatisfaction.

"Even if it is a purely private matter we are surely good friends enough to be cognisant of one another's secrets," he remarked. "Of course," I replied dubiously. "But only up to a certain point."

Then, in other words, you imply that you can't trust me !" "I can trust you, Ambler," I answered calmly. We are the best of friends, and I hope we shall always be so. Will you not forgive me for refusing to show you these letters? "I only ask you one question. Have they

soything to do with the matter we are investigating ? I hesitated. With his quick perception he saw that a lie was not ready upon my lips. They have. Your ritence tells me so,

that case it is your duty to show me there." I protested again, but he overwhelmed my arguments. In common fairness to him I ought not, I knew, to keep back the truth. And yet it was the greatest and most terrible blow that had ever fallen upon me. He saw that I was crushed and stammering, and he stood by me

wondering. "Forgive me, Ambler," I urged again, "When you have read this letter you will fully final letter. Especially curious, too, that Mary understand why I have endenvoured to conceal | had never suspected or discovered her sister's it from you: why, if you were not present jenlousy. Yet so skilfully had Ethelwynn conhere at this moment, I would burn them all, cealed her intention of revenge that both husband and not leave a trace behind."

Then I handed it to him. He took it eagerly, skimmed it through, and started just as I had started when he saw the cignature. Upon his face was a blank expres-"Well?" I asked. "What is your opinion?" "My opinion is the same as your own, Ralph. to her daughter, "c'est la rapport de nos erreurs. old fellow," he answered slowly, looking me sves nos peines.

straight in the face. "It is amazing-startling "You think then that the motive of the crime was jealousy ?

"The letter makes it quite plain," he answered huskily. "Give me the others. Let me examine them. I know how severe this blow must be to you, old fellow," he add-d, 2249 sympathetically. Yes, it has staggered me," I stammered.

I'm utterly dumbfounded by the unexpected revelation!" and I handed him the packet of I exclaimed, hoarsely. correspondence, which he placed upon the table. and senting himself, commenced eagerly to no word escaped his lips. examine letter after letter.

While he was thus engaged I took up the first letter, and read it through-right to the It was apparently the last of a long corres-

pondence, for all the letters were arranged chronologically, and this was the last of the packet. Written from Neneford Manor; Northamptonebire, and taguely dated "Wednesday," as is a woman's habit, it was addressed to Mr. Courtenay and ran as follows :-

"Words cannot express my contempt for man who breaks his word as easily as you break yours. A year ago, when you were my father's guest, you told me that you loved me, and urged me to marry you. At first I laughed at your proposal; then when I found you really serious. I pointed out the difference of our ages. You, in return, declared that you loved me with all the ardonr of a young man; that I was your ideal; and you promised by all you held most sacred that if I consented I should never regret. I believed you, and believed the false words of Hence, I confess that this discovery has amused feigned devotion which you wrote to me later | me quite as much as it has you. I somehow under seal of strictest secrecy. You went to feel-Cairo, and none knew of our secret-the secret that you intended to make me your wife. And how have you kept your promise? To-day, my father has informed me that you are to marry Mary! Imagine the blow to me! My father expects me to rejoice, little dreaming how I have been fooled; how lightly you have treated a woman's affectious and aspirations. Some there are who, finding themselves in my position, would place in Mary's hands the packet of your-correspondence which is before me as I write, and thus open her eyes to the fact that she is but the dupe of a man devoid of honour. Shall I do so? No. Rest a-sured that I shall not. If my sister is happy let her remain so. My vendetta lies not in that direction. The fire of hatred may be stifled. but it can never be quenched. We shall be quits some day, and you will regret litterly that you have broken your word so lightly. My revenge, the vengeance of a jealous woman, will fall upon you at a moment and in a manner you will little dream of. I return you your letters, as you may not care for them to fall into other hands, and from to-day shall never again refer to what has passed. I am young, and may still obtain an upright and honourable man as husband. You are old, and are tottering slowly to your doom. Farewell "Ethelwynn Mivart."

The letter fully explained a circumstance of which I had been entirely ignorant, namely that the woman I had loved had actually been engaged to old Mr. Courtenay before her sister had married him. Its tener showed how intensely antagonistic she was towards the man who | your opinion?" had fooled her, and in the concluding sentence there was a distinct if covert threat-a threat

She had returned the old man's letters apparently in order to show that in her hand she he replied. "I know what I should do'in a eld a further and more powerful weapon; she had not sought to break off his marriage with Mary, but had rather stood by, swallowed her eagerly. auger, and calmly calculated upon a fierce vendetta at a moment when he would least expect it. lence, just as it is, place it in the grate there, Truly those startling words spoken by Sir | and burn it," he said.

Bernard had been full of truth. I remembered them now, and discerned his meaning. He was at least an honest, upright man who, although suggest to him such a mode of defeating the sometimes a trifle eccentric, had my interests ends of justice. deeply at heart. In the progress I had made in the profession I owed much to him, and even secrecy?" I asked, quickly. "Recollect that in my private affairs he had sought to guide such a step is a serious offence against the law."

I took up one after another of the letters my letters," he answered, spain giving me his hand. friend had examined, and found it to be the "In this metter my desire is only to help you. correspondence of a woman who was either If, as you believe, Ethelwynn is innocent, then angling after a wealthy husband or who loved no harm can be done in destroying the letters, him with all the stre gth of her affection. whereas if she is actually the a-sussin she must, Some of the communications were full of sooner or later, beirny her guilt. A woman, passion, and betrayed that poetry of soul that may be clever, but she can never successfully was innete in her. The letters were dated from cover the crime of marder." Neneford, from Oban, and from various Mediter- ! Then you are willing that I, as finder of those ranean ports, where she had gone yachting with | letters, shall burn them. And further, that no her uncle, Sir Thomas Heaton, the great Lanca- word shall pass regarding this discovery !" shite coal owner. Sometimes she addressed him

as "Learest," at others as "Beloved," usually added, commencing to gather them together. signing horself "Your Own." So full were "Let us lose no time, or perhaps the constable they of the ardent passion characteristic of her on duty below or one of the plain clothes men that they held me in amazement. It was passion | may come prying in here, developed under its most profound and serious aspect; they showed the serious and thoughtful, not the brilliant side of intellect. In Ethelwynn's character the passionate an the imaginative were blended equally and in the highest conceivable degree as combined with

delicate female nature. These letters, although written to a man in whose heart romance must long ago be dead, showed how complex was her character, how fervent, enthusiastic and self forgetting her love. At first I believed that those passionate outpourings were morely designed to captivate the old gentleman for his money; but when I read on I saw how intense her passion became towards the end, and how the colmination of it all was that wild reproachful missive written when the crashing blow fell so suddenly upon her.

Ethelwynn was a woman of extraordinary character, full of picturesque charm and glowing romance. To be tremblingly alive to the gentle impressions, and yet to be able to preserve, when the prosecution of a design requires it, an immovable heart amidst even the most imperious causes of subduing emotion, is perhaps not an impossible constitution of mind, but it is the utmost and rarest endearment of humanity. knew her as a woman of high mental powers touched with a molancholy sweetness. I was now aware of the cause of that melancholy.

Yet it was apparent that the serious and energetic part of her character was founded on deep passion, for after her sister's m rriage with the man she had herself loved and had threatened. she had actually come there beneath their roof, and lived as her sister's companion, stifling all the hatred that had entered her heart, and preserving an ontward calm that had no doub; entirely disarmed bim.

Such a circumstance was extraordinary. To me, as to Ambler Jeyons, who knew her well, it seemed almost inconceivable that old Mr. Courtenay should allow her to live there after receiving such a wild communication as that and wife had been entirely deceived.

Love, considered under its poetical aspect, is the union of passion and imagination. I had foolishly believed that this calm, sweet-voiced woman had loved me, but those letters made it sion, and he returned it to me without a word. plain that I had been utterly fooled. "Le mystère de l'existence," said Madame de Stael

And although there was in her, in her charactor, and in her terrible situation, a concentration of all the interests that belong to humanity. she was nevertheless и murderess.

"The truth is here," remarked my friend. laying his hand upon the heap of tender correspondence which had been brought to such an abrupt conclusion by the letter I have printed in its entirety, "It is a strange romantic story, to say the least."

"Then you really believe that she is guilty?" He shrugged his snoulders significantly, but

In the silence that fell between us, I glanced at him. His chin was sunk upon his breast, his brows knit, his thin fingers toying idly with the New plain gold ring?
"Well?" I managed to exclaim at last.

" What shall we do?" " Do?" he echoed. "What canwe do, my dear fellow ? That woman's future is in your hands' "Why in mine?" I asked. "In yours also, surely ? "

"No." he answered resolutely, taking my hand and grasping it warmly. No. Raph; I know-I can see how you are suffering. You believed her to be a pure and honest we manone above the common run -a woman fit as helpmate and wife. W. I. 1, too, must confess myself very much misted. I believed her to be all that you imagined: indeed, if her face be any criterion she is neverly unspoiled by the world and its wickedness. In my careful studies in physiognomy I have found that very soldom does a perfect face like hers cover an ovil heart

-I don't believe it!" I cried, interrupting him. "I don't believe, Ambler, that she murdered him-I can't believe it. Hers is not the face of a murder sa."

"Faces sometimes deceive," he said quietly. Recollect that a clever woman can give a truthful appearance to a lie where a man utterly "I know-I know. But even with this cir-

cumstantial proof I can't and won't believe it." "Please yourself, my dear fellow," heanswered. "I know it is hard to believe ill of a woman whom one loves so devotedly as you've loved Ethelwynn. But be brave, bear up, and face. the situation like a man. "I am facing it," I said resolutely. "I will

face it by refusing to believe that she killed him. The letters are plain enough. She was engaged secretly to old Courtenay, who threw her over in favour of her sister. But is there anything so very extraordinary in that? One hears of such things very often." "But the final letter?"

"It bears evidence of being written in the first moments of wild anger on realising that she had been abandoued in favour of Mary. Probably she has by this time quite forgotten the words she wrote. And in any case the fact of er living beneath the same roof, supervising the household, and attending to the sick man during Mary's absence, entirely negatives any idea of revenge."

Jevons smiled dubiously, and I myself knew that my argument was not altogether logical. "Well?" I continued. "And is not that "No. It is not," he replied, bluntly.

"Then what is to be done?" I asked, after "The matter entirely rests with you, Ralph,

similar case." "What would you do? Advise me," I urged "I should take the whole of the correspon-

I was not prepared for such a suggestion. A imilar idea had occurred to me, but I feared to But if I do that will you give me a vow of

me, although I had, alas, disregalded his repeat- When I pass out of this room I shall have no further recoilection of ever having seen any

"Most willing," he replied. "Come."

Then at his direction and with his a sistance I willingly tore up each letter in small pieces. placed the whole in the grate where dead cinders still remained, and with a vesta set a light to them. For a few moments they blazed flercely up the chimney, then died out leaving only

"We must make a feint of having tried to light the fire," said Jevony, taking an old newspaper, twisting it up, and setting light to it in the grate, afterwards stirring up the dead tinder with the tinder of the letters. " I'll remark incidentally to the cons able that we've tried to gets fire, and didn't succeed. 'That will prevent Thorpe poking his nose into it." ..

So when the whole of the letters had been destroyed, any braces of their remains off seed and the safe re-looked, we went downstairs not, however, before my companien had made a satisfactory explanation to the constable and entirely misled him as to what we had been

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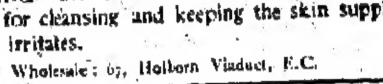
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and to carry on the business as heretofore. LUIZ CAELOS DO ROZARIO. Hongkong, 20th August, 1902.

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| LONDON. &C., VIA PORTS OF CALL   |                                     | Brit, str                          | 2 m.         | C. L. Daniel                            | P. & O. S. N. Co.   | On 30th inst., at Noon.   |
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| HAVRE, BREMEN & HAMBURG  | KONIGEBURG                          | Ger. str<br>Ger. str               | 2 m.         | Fuchs<br>Mayer                          | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE   | To-morrow,  |
| HAVRE & HAMBURG  | FREIBURG                            | Ger. str                           | = 1          | Prosch                                  | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE   | On 10th September.<br>On 24th September.<br>On 8th October.             |
| HAVRE & HAMBURG  | SILVIA                              | Brit. str.                         | =            | Behrens<br>Jaeger                       | HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE                             | On 22nd October.<br>On 6th November.                                    |
| TRIESTE, &c., VIA SINGAPORE, &c. NEW YORK VIA PORTS & SUEZ CANAL NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL | LENNOX                              | Aus. str<br>Brit. str<br>Brit. str | 2 m.         | ** ******** * * ***                     | DODWELL & CO. LIMITED   | On 17th September, P.M.<br>About 27th inst.                             |
| NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL  | APION<br>INDRANI                    | Brit. str                          |              | *************************************** | SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.   | On 13th September.<br>On 20th September.                                |
| ANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, &c.  | Empers of India<br>Tablar           | Brit. str.                         | 2 m.         | U. P. Marshall, R.N.R.                  | JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. CANADIAN PACIFIC R. Co. CANADIAN PACIFIC R. Co. | To-day, at Noon.  |
| VICTORIA (B.C.) & TACOMA VIA JAPAN<br>VICTORIA (B.C.) & BEATTLE VIA EHANGHAI, &C         | HyadesIyo Maru                      | Brit. str<br>Jap. str              |              | G. Wright                               | DODWELL & CO., LIMITED  | On 10th September.<br>On 12th September.<br>On 8th September, at 4 P.M. |
| PORTLAND, OREGON AUSTRALIAN PORTS.   | Kasuga Maru                         | Jap. str                           | =            | H. Fraser                               | PORTLAND & ASIATIC S.S. Co<br>NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA                       | On 13th September.<br>On 36th inst., at Noon                            |
| AUSTRALIAN PORTS<br>AUSTRALIAN PORTS<br>YOKOHAMA, YASHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE                | GLENSHIEL                           | Brit, str                          | 2 112;       | Dabelle                                 | Gibs, Livingston & Co   | On 13th September, at & F.M. On 13th September, at Noon.                |
| KOBE & YOKOHAMA<br>NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA   | KAMAKUHA MARU<br>KUMANO MARU        | Jap. str.                          | _            | 11. Petersen                            | P. & O. S. N. Co. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA                                   | On or about 6th September,<br>On 29th inst., at Daylight.               |
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| NINGPO & SHANGHAL AMSUL, VIA SWATOW & AMOY   | DAIJIN MARO                         | Brit. str                          | 2 m.<br>1 m. | T. Ogata                                | OSAKA SHOREN KAISHA   | Po-day  |
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Aug. 26, Diomed. British str., 3,005, R. C. Thompson: Liverpool 19th July, General. --- BUTTERFIELD & EWIFE. Aug. 26. HANGSANO, British str.; 2.143. S. 4 P.M.

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father, Ceba 22nd August, General -Butterfield & Swife. Aug. 26. KAMAKUMA MARU, Jap. str. 6,123, H. Petersen, Singapore 21st August, Gene-

ral.—NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Aug. 26. KUMANO MARU, Japanese str., 3,147. (WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT PHILIPPINE DARMSTADT E. W. Huswell, Melbourne via Manila 29th July, Gold and Gener, I .- A IPPON YUSEN

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CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 26th August. Chungany, British str., for Canton. Bott, Norwegian str., for Bangkok Hano, French str., for Hollow. Kreien, ping. British str., for I ientein. Lecenor, British str., for Singapore. Sentis, Norwegian str., for Shanghai,

DEPARTURES. 26th August. BABELSDERG, German str., for Singapore. BJORN: Norwegian str., for Saigen. DR. WTAL German str., for Bangkok. Fixthuro, German str., for Yokohama, HAYCH'NO British str., for Coast Ports. TAILAN, French str., for Pakhoi. TAMBURG, British barque, for New York. WELLIN, British str., for Chefoo. Acs French str., for Shanghei. LICHARL JESSEN, G. rman str : for Holhew. NSANG, British str; for Yokohoma. PRONTO, German str.; for Iloila ENECA. British str., for Singapore. MAKSI, British str., for Nagasaki, RITCS, German str., for Swatow. AFIRO, British str, for Manila.

VESSELS IN DOCK. 26th August. ABERDEEN DOCKS .- Eled, Proteus KOWLOON DOCKS .- Solent, Rubi. ivern. Theo, Siam, H.M.S. Taku, H.M.S. porhen, Nippon Maru. COMOPOLITAN DOCK -Sabrue Rickmers. appela B.M.B. Linaldo.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Kaijong, from Manila nd instabad light to moderate easterly winds fine weather throughout. the British steamer Hangsang, from Shaug-Elst inst, and Swalow 26th, had northerly all and smooth sea throughout.

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Captain Klausberger, will be despatched as I THE Steamship above on WEDNESDAY, the 17th September, For information as to Passage and Freight,

SANDER, WIELER & CO., Princes Buildings. Hougkong, 26th August, 1902.

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FYTHE Steamship GLENROY. Captain Selby, will be despatched as above on

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AFTON" will be despatched for the above port on SATURDAY, the 20th September. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

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(with Liberty to call at PHILIPPINE PORTS). THE following Steamers will be despatched as above, carrying Cargo at current

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Hougkong, 4th August, 1897.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TACOMA. VICTORIA, YOKO-HAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND . SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their

No Fire Insurance will be offected by us in

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1902.

MANILA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloop, whence and/or from the wharves

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th inst. will be subject All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-

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Hongkong. 20th August, 1902.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES AV

FROM LEITH, LONDON AND

STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

All Claims against the Steamer must be preprox., or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Luding will be countersigned by

Hengkong, 20th August, 1902.

THE N.D.L. Steamship

"FREIBURG."

Captain Proceed, having arrived from the above ports, Consignes of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M., To-DAY, 22nd inst. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees risk and

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 29th inst., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1902.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

"PYRRHUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft; and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Whart and Godown Company, Ld.; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 21st instant,

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless potice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 27th inst. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 27th inst. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 20th August, 1902.

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STEAMBLE. Anping Maru, Jap. str., 1,058, Sudauki, Aug. 23, Mitsui Dussan Kaisha Arnold Luyken, German str., 1,075, Paysen, Aug. 14. E. A. Trading Co

Bentarig, British str., 1.452, Kroble, Aug. 20, Gibb. Livingston & Co Brunhilde, German str., 872, Funge, Aug. 18, Buen Visie, American str., 275, Ross, July 8,

Changsha, British str., 1,463, Moore, Aug. 16, Butterfield & Swire Chibli, British steamer, 1,243, Cowan, Aug. 20, Kınsha, river gunboat, 331 tons, Lleut, Comfr. Butterfield & Swire

Jardine. Matheson & Co Chwashan, British str., 1,282, Sinclair, Aug. 8, Bradley & Co Crown of Arragon, British str., 1,474, Dorward,

Aug 18, Gilman & Co Deramore, Norw. str., 1,497, Borge, Aug. 26, Bradley & Co Devawongse, Ger. str., 1,157, Kumpel, Aug. 23, Melchers & Co Diomed, British str., 3,005, Thompson, Aug. 26,

Butterfield & Swire Domiugo de Larringa, Brit. str., 2,651, Hudson, Aug. 11. Dodwell & Co., Limited Dott, Norwegian str., 629, Haraldsen, Aug. 23,

Elsa, German str., 1,702, Schonwandt, Aug. 19, Jebsen & Co Empress of India, British str., 3,003, Marshall, Aug. 19, C. P. R. Co Germania, German str., 1,713, Bruhn, Aug. 25, Jebsen & Co

Hangsang, British str., 1,356, Wilde, Aug. 26, Jardine, Matheson & Co . Hanoi, French steamer, 742, Merlees, Aug. 24. A. R. Marte. Hyades, American str., 3000, Wright, Aug. 23, Dodwell & Co., Ltd. Indrani, British steamer, 3,227, Hill, Aug. 26,

Allan Cameron Indrasamha, Brit. str., 3,366, Craven, Aug. 26, Alian Cameron Knifong. British str., 1,041, Pennefather. Aug. 26. Butterfield & Swire Kamakura Maru, Jap. str., 3,796, Petersen, Aug.

26. Nippon Yusen Kaisha Keelung Maru, Jap. str., 1,134, Sobajima, Aug. 23, Onaka Shosen Kaisha Kumano Maru, Jap. str., 3,146, Haswell, Aug. 26, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Kwangping, British str., 1,243, Blake, Aug. 23,

Lennox, British str., 2,361, Warner, Aug. 26, Dodwell & Co., Limited Lisa, Swedish steamer, 998, Horndahl, Aug. 20, Loongsang, British str., 1,092, Weigall, Aug. 25, Jardine, Matheson & Co Machew, German str., 995, Hayes, Aug. 7, Melchers & Co

Merie Jebson, Ger. str., 1,771, Hemmet, July 22, Jebsen & Co Mercedes, British str., 2,967, Carter, Aug. 22 Admiralty Nanchang, Brit. str., 1,060, Finlayson, Aug. 21, Butterfield & Swire Nippon Maru, Jap. str., 3,437, Greene, Aug. 21,

Toyo Kisen Kaisha Pakshan, British str., 1,235, Reid, May 28, Pax, Belgian steamer, 1,207, Rankin, Aug. Melchers & Co Perla, British str., 1,276, McGinty, Aug. 24, Shewan, Tomes & Co Petrarch, German str., 1,252, Valten, Aug. 26,

Sander, Wieler & Co Proteus, Norwegian str., 920, Muller, Aug. 26, East Asiatic Trading Co. Rajaburi, German str., 1,189, Wendig, Aug. 26, Rosetta Maru, Jap. str., 2,406, Tate, Aug. 26, Bengali, French gunboat, 580 tons, Lieut. Fitte Rubi. British steamer, 1,611, Almond, Aug. 19, Bobr. R. ssian gunbont, 950 tons, 2 gans, 1,150 Sentis, Norwegian str., 867, Karen, Aug. 22, Brookiya, American (fiagship) armoured cruiser,

Skrainstad, Florw. str., 759, Hansen, Aug. 23, Bussard, German cruiser, 1,600 tons, 8 guns, Sullberg, German str., 782, Jessen, Aug. 25, Chasseloup Laubat, French cruiser, 3,800 tons, Sungkiang, British str., 1,021, Outerbridge, Comete, French gunboat, Capt. Louel, Aug. 17, Butlerfield & Swire

Butterfield & Swire Thales, British steamer, 820, Robson, Aug. 26, Pouglas Lapraik & Co Theodor Wille, the man str , 3,369, Mayerhof, Aug. 16, Jebsen & Co. Victoria, Swedish dr., 989, Hellberg, Aug. 7. Wingsang, British str., 1.517, Sellar, Aug. 22, Jardine: Matheson & Co.

Yiksang, British str., 1,835, Bowk et, Aug. 14, Jardine, Matheson & Co SAILING VESSELS. Adolph Obeig, Amr. bqs , 1,006, Amesbury, May 30, Standard Oil Co

Allas, American ship 1,352, McKay, July 14, Standard Oil Co Grosvenor, British barque, 518, Boga, June 13, Kelat, British ship, 1,822, Hughes, July 23, Luzon, American barque, 1,339, Park, Aug. 20, Manuel Llagune, Amr. ship, 1,468, Nicholls,

July 31. Standard Oil Co Vale of Doon, Sarawak barque, 669, Petersen, July I, Sander, Wieler & Co Willscott, Amr. barque, 1,805, Macloon, Aug. 8, Standard Oil Co HIS BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS

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route Hongkong Arethuse, cruiser, 4,300 tons, 10 guns, 5,000 h.p., Capt. J. Startin, at Hongkong Argonaut, 1st class cruiser, 11,000 tons, 16 guns, Capt. G. H. Cherry, R.N., Japan Blenheim, 1st class cruiser, 9,000 tons, 12 guns, 21,411 h.p., Capt. F. G. Stopford, at

Hongkong Bramble, gunboat, 710 tons, 6 guns, 1,300 h.p., Lieut,-Comdr. F. M. Leake, at Sinho Britomart, gunboat, 710 tons, 6 guns, 1,300 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. Thos. D. Pratt, at Weihaiwei Crossy, cruiser, 12,000 tons, 14 guns, 21,000 h.p., Capt. Henry M. T. Tudor, at Weihaiwei Eclipse, cruiser, 5,600 tons, 11 guns, Captain Stokes, at Weihaiwei

Espiegle, gunboat, 1,070 tons, 10 guns, Comdr. Ernest G. Barton, en route Hongkong Fame, torpedo-boat destroyer, 360 tons, 6 guns, 5,700 h.p., Capt. Colin Mackenzie, D.S.O., at Weihaiwei Fearless, cruiser, 443 tons, 12 guns, Capt. J. I. Graham, on Yangtaze Firebrand, gunboat, 455 tons, 4 guns, 360 h.p.,

in reserve

h.p., Captain A. W. Carter, at Weihaiwei h.p., Captain F. H. Henderson, C.M.G., T Handy, torpedo-boat destroyer. 260 tons, 6 guns,

4.000 h.p., in reserve Hart, torpedo-boat destroyer, 260 tons, 6 guns. 4,000 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. G. C. Hardy at

Humber, storeship, 1,640 tons, Coundr. John D. Daintree, at Hongkong Janus, torpede-boat destroyer, 280 tons, 6 guns. 3,900 h.p., in reserve

G. B. Powell, on Yungusze Chunsang, British str., 1,418, Arthur, Aug. 24, | Moorhen, river gambout 180 tons, 2 guns, Lieut -Comdr. G. G. Webster, at Hongkong Mutine, sloop, 980 tons, 10 gans, Comdr. 3. W. M. Plenderleath. Behring Sea Ocean, battleship, 12,950 tons, 16 guns, 13,500 i.h.p., Capt. Richard W. White, Japan

> Phoenix, sloop, 1,015 tons, 6 guins, 1,400 h.p. Comdr. W. H. Nicholson, at Weihaiwei Pique, cruiser, 3,600 tons, 8 guns, 7,000 h.p., Capt. H. C. Reynolds, on Yangtsze Rambler, surveying ship, 583 tons, Capt. Morris

Otter, torpedo-boat destroyer, 350 tons, in

H. Smyth, Japan Ringido, sloop, 980 tons, 6 guns, Comdr. D. St Aubyn Wake, at Hongkong Robin, river gunboat. 85 tons, 2 guns, 240 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. John L. Irven, at . Hongkong

Rosario, sloop, 980 tons, 6 guns, 1,400 h.p. Comdr. A. W. Hamilton, Bahring Sea Sandpiper, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 240 h.p., Lient. Comdr. Mueray MacG. Lock. hart, West River. Snipe, river gun-boat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 240 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. Ernest W. G. Davidson, on

Yangtsze Taku, torpedo-boat destroyer, 250 tons, 6 guns; Talbot, cruiser, 5,600 tons, 11 gaus, 9,630 h.p. Capt. Lewis Bayley, at Weihaiwei .

Tamer, receiving ship, 4.600 tons, 6 gans, Joinrodore Robinson, A D.C., at Hongkong Teal, river gunboat, 130 tons, 2 guns, Lieut. Comdr. R. W. Dalgety, on Yang szo Tweed, gunboat, 362 tons, 3 guns, 200 h.p., on Yangtese Vestal, sloop, 980 tons, 10 gaus, 1,40 t h.p.,

Comdr. Stuart St. J. Furquiar, Straits Waterwitch, surveying ship, 620 tons, 450 i.h.p., Lieux. Comdr. E. C. Hardy, at Weitmwei Whiting, torpedo-beat destroyer, 360 tous, 0 guas. 5,900 k.p., Lieut.-Comur. C. P. mansoi, at Wivern, coast defence ship, armoured, 2,750 tons, 1,000 h.p., in reserve, at Hongkong

Lieut.-Comdr. Ronald E. Chilcott. on Yangtazu Woodcock, gunboat, 150 tons, 2 guns, 550 hp. Lieut.-Comdr. Hugh G. C. Somerville, on Yangtsze

Woodlark, gunboat, 150 tons, 2 guns, 550 h p.,

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION. Admiral Nakhimoff, Russian cruiser, 9,000 tons, Capt. Vsivolojsky, at Yokohama Alcout, Russian gunboat, 8 guns, 1,200 h.p., Capt. buinter, at Vladivostock Alouette, French cruiser, 300, Lieut. Aoum

Amiral Charner, French gunboat, 450 tons, Cant. Bachme, at Suigon Annapolis, 2merican gunboat, 1,000 tons, 10 employed. gans, 177 h.p., Comdr. Karl Rohrer, at Aspie French gunboat, 475 tons, 3 guns, 450 h.p., Comdr. Journet, at Saigon

Buffalo, American cruiser, Capt. Ross, en route Manila h p. Capt. Dobrovolsky, at Hak date

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Gulf of Tonkin Taichiow. German str., 858, Schneer, Ang. 24, Decidee, French gunboat, 690 tons, 6 guns, Cupt. Leemes, at Chefoo D'Entrecusteaux. French flagship, 8,100 tons, 14 gans, 13,500 h.p., Capt. D. du Fournet,

Descartes, French cruiser, 4,000 tons, 13 guns, 9,000 h.p. Capt. de Saune, at Saigon Dimitri Donsko, itussian armoured crusier, 0,00 tons, 34 gans, 7,000 h.p., Comdr. M. van der Sekrouff, at Singapore Yedo Maru, Jap. str., 1,060, Samura, Aug. 24, Diu, Portugu se guube t, 729 tons, Capt. P. d'Azevedo, at Shanghai

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Rendemann, 11,000 tons, 36 guns, Capt. Friederick, at Yokosuka Gaidamak, Russian torpedo-boat, 18 guns, 3,500 h.p., Capt. Serbrenniff, at Port Arthur Geier, German cruiser, J,600 tons, Sguns, Comdr. Hilbrand, at General Alays, American gunboat, 1,800, tons,

Lieut.-Comdr. W. F. Halsey, at Manila Gremiatschy, Russian gunboat, 1,492 tons, guns, 2,500 h.p., Capt. Smirnoff, at Gromoboi, Russian battleship, 12,436 tons, 26 guns, 14,500 h.p., at l'ort Arthur Guichen, French cruiser. 8,20 / tons, Capt. De

hoff, 6,800 tons, 30 guns, Capt. Paschen, at Vladivostock Helena, American gunboat, 8 guns, 1,998 h.p., Comdr. R. R. Ingersoll, at Nagasaki Hertha, German cruiser, 6,100 tons, 30 guns, Capt. Derzewsky, at Nagasaki.

Hansa, German cruiser, Rear-Admiral Kirch,

Glory, battleship, 12,850 tons, 16 guns, 13,500 | Iltis, German gunbout, 1,000 Lieut. Comdr. Schamer, at Goliath, battleship, 12,950 tone, 16 gups. 13,500 | Isla de Cuba, Am ricau gunb est 400 tons, Lieut.-W. J. Marwell, at Man la

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2,200 h.p., Capt. Gollear, at Haiphong. Korestz, Russian gunboat, 9 guns, 2,150 h.p., Capt. Novakowsky, at Lion, French gunboat, 740 tons, 4 guns, 500 h.p., Capt. Frost, at Saigon

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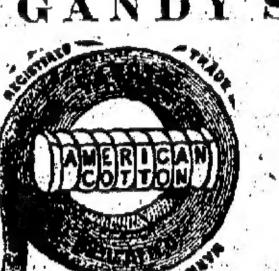
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| TO-DAY.  | at 5 p.m. same     |
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Letters. .. ..... 10.45 A.M. . same day for Shanghai, where she is arrive at 6 a.m., to-day, The E. & A. steamer Eastern, from Sydney Sale, Household Furniture, 2, Victoria View. &c., has left Port Darwin for Timor, Manile Kowloon, Means, Hughes & Hough, 2;10 p.m. and this port, and is due on the lat prox. Edwards, Pry & Co., General Meeting, at the The C.N. steamer Chingtu left 'I hursday Island on the 21st inst. direct for this port, and

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Portland (Or.) on the 29th uit., arrived at Yoke-

STRAMERS PARSED THE CANAL.

29th-Pembrokeshire, Khalif, Amba, Glen-

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1st July - Segovia. 4th - Adria, 7th - Japan.

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ARRIVALS AT HOME. -3rd June -Indus. 10th

HOMEWARD .- 4th July-Queensland. 11th -

Japan and Hongkong on the lith inst.

Offices of the Company, 4 p.m. TU MUKHOW. is due here on the 1st prex. The P. & O. steamer Naukin left Singapore Tenders for repairs to the American ship for this port on the 26th inst., at 11 a.m. Lыгон, поор. The N.Y.K. steamer Hiroshima Marie (Bombay Line) left Bombay via Colombo and Singa-

## COMMERCIAL.

in the Hotel, noon.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

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## VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Bengal left Singapore for this port on the 24th inst., at 8 a.m., and due here on the 20th inst., at about 10 a m. THE INDIAN MAIL The steamer Areatoon Apear, from Calcutta,

left Singapore for this port ou the 22ac inst., a.m.

The Imperial German mail steamer König Albert left Kobe, via Nagosaki, Shanghai and Foodnow, on the 24th last, p.m., and may be sted here on or about the 3rd prox. The Imperial German mail eteamer Pri Regent Luitpold left Colombo on the 24th inst s.m. and may be expected here on or about the 4th brex.

THE GERMAN MAILS.

THE AMERICAN MAILS. The P.M. steamer Peru left Yokohama for this port on the 21st met, at daylight, via Inland See, &c.

The O. & O. steamer Coptie left San Francisco for this port, via Honolalu, Ac., on the 9th inst. The T.K.K. steamer America Mara left San Francisco for this port, via Honolalu, &c., on the 16th inst.

The C.P.R. stramer Empress of Jupan left Var co iver for Hongkong van the usual ports feat on the 18th inst., p.m. MERCHANT STEAMERS

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

Mawirre, Jos. Morton, H. E. Good, F. Lassetter. The N.Y.K. steamer Kasuga Muru (Anstra-D. Solomon, E. Fincherle, W. E. Giel, J. J. lian Line) left Nagasaki for this port on the Murphy, D. McLean, W. H. Browne, May and 23cd just, p.m., and is expected here to-day. D F. Lynch, peon Line) left Singapore for this port on the stinst, p.m. and is expected here to-day. Barometer 94. M. 29.82 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wetbulb) 79 The Glen Line steamer. Glengarry, from arometer le M. 29.75 Therm. 1 pp. (Wet bulb 79 Middlestro and London, left Singapore on the Barometer 4r.m. 29.77 Therm. 4 ris (Wet bulb) 79 and inst and is due here to morrow. Thermom 9 A.M. 84 Therm Maximum ......85 The C.P.R. steamer Tarter arrived at Nega. Phermom. 1 P.M. .. 85 Therm. Minimum over 

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